Weekly Market Summary

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Weekly Slaughter Hog Quotations

Location	Туре	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
St. Joseph	B & G Bulk & Top Sows - Range	38.00-38.50 31.00-35.00	38.00-38.50 scarce	40.00-40.50 Scarce	39.00-39.50 32.00-36.00	Closed
St. Paul	B & G Bulk & Top Sows - Range	37.00-38.00 32.00-36.00	38.00-38.50 32.00-36.00	38.50-39.00 32.00-36.00	38.50-40.00 32.00-36.00	38.50-40.50 32.00-36.00

MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts 31,661 Week ago 24,463, Year ago 15,336 WEIGHTED AVERAGES Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. ST	EERS:	<u>Fdr. HE</u>	EIFERS:	Hols. ST	EERS
362 lbs	115.30	349 lbs	105.12	344 lbs	86.71
453 lbs	108.19	459 lbs	99.01	458 lbs	80.00
544 lbs	105.62	555 lbs	96.12	527 lbs	75.46
649 lbs	99.35	655 lbs	92.49	642 lbs	74.67
752 lbs	93.93	752 lbs	89.20	747 lbs	72.06
844 lbs	91.74	850 lbs	82.89	868 lbs	71.10

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Mountain Grove and West Plains)

Cattle
Receipts 5816 Week ago 6028 Year ago 4313

Compared to last week Steers fully steady, heifers 1.00 to 3.00 higher, Holsteins 1.00-2.00 higher, slaughter Cows and Bulls steady.

STEERS: Medium an	d Large 1	HEIFERS: Medium an	d Large 1
weight	price	weight	price
300-400	115.00-125.00	400-450	98.00-106.00
400-500	103.00-109.50	450-500	94.00-101.00
500-550	100.00-109.00	500-550	98.00-99.50
550-600	97.00-98.00	550-600	88.50-96.25
600-700	94.50-104.00	600-700	87.00-94.00
700-800	85.00-94.50		
		SLAUGHT	ER COWS: Breaking
HOLSTEIN	IS: Large 3		(70-85% lean)42.50-
300-400	92.00-95.00	51.00 high	dressing 50.00-55.00
400-500	74.00-78.00		
600-700	71.75-73.50	SLAUGHT	ER BULLS: Yield Grade
750-800	68.00-72.35		200 52.25-59.00 high
, 20 000	00.00 /2.55	dressing 63	
		1301118 00	

COW AND CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, 3 to 7 yrs, 1050-1250 lbs with 150 to 300 lb calves 830.00-990.00 per pair

REPLACEMENT COWS Medium and Large 1-2, 3-7 yrs, 1050-1425 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage, 680.00-800.00 per head.

WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Kingsville and Sedalia)

Cattle:

Receipts 3140, Week ago 1531, Year ago 1406 Compared to last week: Steers and Heifers steady to 3.00 lower, Slaughter cows and bulls steady to weak.

FEEDER ST	<u>EERS:</u>	<u>FEEDER H</u>	<u>IEIFERS:</u>
Medium and	Large 1	Medium an	d Large 1& 1-2
weight	price	weight	price
300-400	107.50-118.50	300-400	92.00-112.00
400-500	98.50-109.50	400-500	90.50-105.25
500-600	95.50-105.75	500-600	88.00-99.85
600-700	90.00-99.75	600-700	89.75-95.25
700-800	86.75-94.85	700-800	86.25-89.50
800-900	86.00-90.00	800-900	Scarce

SLAUGHTER COWS Breaking & Boning (70-85%lean) 42.50-50.75. High dressing 46.00-52.75 Lean (85-90%) 34.00-

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2; 1315-2300lbs 52.00-59.00, high dressing 56.75.

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2, 2-3yrs 1025-1250 lbs 1st stage 625.00-760.00 per head.

COW AND CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, 2 yrs-ss 950-1500 lbs with 75 to 150 lb calves 640.00-725.00 per pair.

SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY (Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder	Cattle	Cows and Bulls	Dairy Cattle
Receipts	6450	1600	No sale
Week ago	6552	1100	reported
Year ago	3078	525	•

Compared to last week: Feeder Steers and Heifers steady. Slaughter Cows 1.00-2.00 lower, Bulls 2.00-4.00 lower.

STEERS:		<u>HEIFERS:</u>	
Medium ar	nd Large 1	Medium an	d Large 1
weight	price	weight	price
300-400	112.00-119.00	300-400	101.00-105.00
400-500	101.00-111.00	400-500	94.00-102.50
500-600	96.00-105.75	500-600	87.50-97.50
600-700	89.00-99.25	600-700	88.00-94.00
700-800	88.00-94.75	700-800	85.00-89.25
800-000	87 50-01 00	800-900	80.00-83.50

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HOLSTEINS: Large Frame 3 Weight price 300-400 87.00 400-500 76.00-84.00 600-700 75.00-77.00 700-800 70.00-72.75 800-900 67.75

785.00-870.00 per head.

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REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1, 4 yrs to ss, 3rd stage, 1100-1250 lbs,

COW\CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1, 800-1150 lbs, 3 to 7 yrs, with 100-200 lb calves 825.00-940.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS:

Breakers & Boners (70-85% lean) 45.00-51.25, Lean (85-90% lean) 39.75-44.25.

<u>SLAUGHTER BULLS:</u> Yield grade 1-2, 1370-2110 lbs 54.00-60.00, high dressing 58.50-61.50.

Dairy Cattle Sales

No sale reported

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville, and Columbia) Cattle

Receipts 3564 Week ago 4111, Year ago N/A

Feeder Steers and Heifers steady to firm, Slaughter cows steady to 2.00 higher.

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FEEDER STEERS:		FEEDER HEIFERS:		
Medium and Large 1& 1-2		d Large 1 & 1-2		
price	weight	price		
117.00-127.00	300-400	98.00-111.50		
108.00-113.00	400-500	95.00-106.00		
100.00-113.00	500-600	91.00-102.00		
94.00-108.00	600-700	85.00-94.50		
95.00-99.50	700-800	84.00-88.60		
87.75-91.75				
	SLAUGHT	<u>ER COWS:</u>		
		king and Boning, (70-90		
e 1-2, 1250-2250 lbs	percent lear	n) 41.00-49.50, high		
5.	dressing 49	.00-54.00, low		
	dressing 35	.00-40.00		
	CI ALICHT	ED HEIEEDC.		
5.				
	Choice 2-3	950-1350 lbs 78.00-		
	d Large 1& 1-2 price 117.00-127.00 108.00-113.00 100.00-113.00 94.00-108.00 95.00-99.50	Medium an weight 17.00-127.00 300-400 108.00-113.00 400-500 100.00-113.00 500-600 94.00-108.00 95.00-90.5 700-800 87.75-91.75 ER BULLS: e 1-2, 1250-2250 lbs 5. ER STEERS: 1055-1400 lbs 5. SLAUGHT SLAUGHT SLAUGHT 1055-1400 lbs 5. SLAUGHT SLAUGHT 1055-1400 lbs 5. SLAUGHT SLAUGHT 1055-1400 lbs SLAU		

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

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(Palmyra, New Cambria, and Green City)

<u>Feeder (</u>	Cattle:	Slaughter Cattle:		
Receipts	4971	Receipts	186	
Week ago	217	Week ago	125	
Year ago	3023	Year ago	172	

Feeder Steers steady and Heifers steady to 2.00 higher, Slaughter cows steady, Slaughter Steers and Heifers 2.00-2.50 higher.

FEEDER ST Medium and weight 300-400 400-500	l Large 1-2 price 116.00124.00 104.50-118.00	weight 300-400 400-500	nd Large 1-2 price scarce 95.00-105.50
500-600 600-700 700-800	104.50-118.00 100.25-114.50 96.75-110.00 90.000-98.75	500-600 600-700 700-800	91.00-104.00 90.85-97.25 84.75-94.30

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 47.00-53.30, low dressing 42.00-47.00, high dressing scarce.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3, 1100-1400 lbs 80.00-82.50 <u>SLAUGHTER BULLS:</u> Yield Grade 1-2 1200-2100 lbs 53.25-62.00.

<u>SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:</u> Choice 2-3, 1000-1300 lbs 79.25-81.70

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba and Vienna)

Receipts 4376, week ago 3421, year ago 1192

Feeder Steers and Heifers steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady.

FEEDER STEERS:		FEEDER HEIFERS:		
Medium and Large 1		Medium and Large 1		
price	weight	price		
114.00-127.00	300-400	100.00-113.00		
104.00-114.00	400-500	95.00-103.00		
100.00-114.25	500-600	94.00-105.00		
97.00-106.00	600-700	87.00-96.00		
92.10-102.75	750-850	82.35-85.60		
	d Large 1 price 114.00-127.00 104.00-114.00 100.00-114.25 97.00-106.00	Id Large 1 Medium an weight price weight 114.00-127.00 300-400 104.00-114.00 400-500 100.00-114.25 500-600 97.00-106.00 600-700		

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning(70-85% lean) 43.00-49.00, high dressing up to 50.50. SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1300-2100 lbs 52.00-60.25, high dressing indv 63.00.

COW\CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1, none reported REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1, None reported

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Patton Junction and Fruitland) Receipts 1317 Week ago 1440, Year ago 868

Compared to last week Feeder Steers and Heifers steady to 2.00 higher, Slaughter Cows steady and Bulls steady.

FEEDER STEERS:		<u>FEEDER I</u>	<u>FEEDER HEIFERS:</u>		
Medium and Large 1-2		Medium ar	Medium and Large 1-2		
weight	price	weight	price		
300-400	100.00-114.00	300-400	92.00-101.00		
400-500	95.00-105.50	400-500	85.00-97.00		
500-600	91.00-101.00	500-600	82.50-94.00		
600-700	86.50-99.50	600-700	77.50-87.00		
700-800	77.50-88.00	800-850	77.00-82.00		
pkg 877	85.00				

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (75-85% lean) 42.00-46.75, high dressing 47.00-50.50.

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2, 2-7 yrs, 860-1375 lbs, 1st and 2nd stage, 570.00-690.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Y.G. 1-2, 1435-2000lbs 49.50-56.25, high dressing 59.00-60.00. COW AND CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2, 2 to 7 yrs, 840-1375 lbs. 150-450 lb calves 745.00-975.00 per pair.

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT

Weekly Receipts 1500, Week ago 800; Year ago 900 Trade active early week, live sales steady to 1.00 lower and dressed sales steady to 2.00 lower.

<u>STEERS:</u> Live sales: 50% Choice 1100-1250 lbs 75.00-79.00. STEERS AND HEIFERS: Carcass sales: 80% Choice 1100-1300 lbs 127.00-129.00

HEIFERS: Live sales: 50% Choice 1050-1200 lbs 78.00-79.00.

GRADE AND WEIGHT: (Grid) Choice 550-950 lbs 128.00-132.00 Select 550-950 lbs 121.00-124.00

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts 9384, Week ago 9319; Year ago 12,543

Weekly Top: Friday 54.00

BARROWS AND GILTS: Steady to 1.00 higher Base Carcass 52.00-54.00 Steady 300-500 lbs 28.00-32.00 over 500 lbs 33.00-36.00

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT WEANER AND FEEDER PIG REPORT

Receipts: 8588 [FOB 4526, Delivered 4062]

Compared to last week, weaner pigs steady, feeder pigs steady, demand and supply moderate. (Prices per head)

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights

FOB the farm

4526 head 10 lbs. 17.00-33.00 weighted average 29.38

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights Delivered to MO

2772 head 10 lbs 22.00-29.32 weighted average 27.56

Feeder pigs in all lot sizes:

FOB the farm No Sales

Feeder pigs in all lot sizes:

Delivered

1290 head 45 lbs 26.75-28.00 weighted average 45 lbs at 27.05

	WEEKLY LIVE	STOCK SLAUGHT	ER
	CATTLE	HOGS	SHEEP
Week to date	715,000	1,805,000	56,000
Last Week	706,000	1,815,000	52,000
Last Year	704,000	1,806,000	55,000
2003 Yr to dt	21,620,000	58,098,000	1,694,000
2002 Yr to dt	21,423,000	58,276,000	1,859,000

MIDWEST SHEEP REVIEW

Slaughter Receipts: This week 56,000 Week ago 52,000 55,000 Year ago

Slaughter Lambs 4.00 lower Slaughter Ewes steady Feeder Lambs steady

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 1-3, 20.00-25.00 Cull 1, 15.00-20.00 (per cwt.)

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Ch & Pr 110-120 lbs; 74.00-76.00, 120-140 lbs 76.00-78.00

<u>FEEDER LAMBS:</u> 50-70 lbs 80.00-85.00, 70-90 lbs 75.00-80.00 (per cwt.)

MISSOURI WEEKLY HAY SUMMARY

The state continues to get drier with each day that passes. For the most part though we need rain now. Sadly reports this week that some farmers already having to set out some hay to supplement the little pasture left. The worst area in the state once again this year seems to be the northwest. Central, west central and a few areas in southwest especially around the Lamar area are also hurting for water. Farmers have given up on a lot of corn as well and have begin to chop it. Farmers are also saying that the current cutting of hay is basically burnt up and unless it rains soon equipment just as well be parked for the year. The only good news is on the east side of MO were rains have been friendly to most. Hay prices this week were steady, supply is moderate, and demand considered light to moderate. Unless specified prices per ton and reflect delivered price. Supreme quality alfalfa 110.00-160.00. Premium quality alfalfa 80.00-110.00. Prairie hay 65.00-85.00, Good quality brome hay 70.00-110.00. Good quality timothy hay 3.00-3.50 per small square. Good large round bales mixed grass hay 15.00-25.00, Good red clover hay 50.00-75.00. Fair quality large round bales Fescue 10.00-20.00 per bale. Wheat hay 50.00-60.00. Wheat straw 1.50-2.25 per small square.

MIDWEST EGG REVIEW

Prices on large .09 higher, medium .06 higher, small .03 higher. IOWA-MINNESOTA-WISCONSIN: Prices paid to producers. (Cents per dozen) Large .63-.67, Medium .40-.42, Small .18-.22.

WHOLESALE FEEDSTUFFS PRICES (DOLLARS PER TON-BULK BASIS)

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City St. Louis Memphis Decatur	181.50 197.50 184.20 174.00	161.00 155.00 152.50	186.50 191.25 	55.00 57.00

Weekly Average Prices as of Aug 05, 2003

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans unchanged to .11 higher, Wheat .06 to .11 higher, Corn .05 to .07 higher, Soybean meal .20 to 3.30 lower, except Jan. .60 higher, KC wheat .05 to .07 higher. (all price trends approximate ranges).

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri
Soybeans Aug Sep Nov Jan Mar	539 1/2	542	540	543	548 1/2
	523	519 1/2	520	519 1/4	524
	516 1/4	512 3/4	515	515 1/2	520 1/2
	520 1/4	517 3/4	520 1/4	520 1/4	525 1/4
	523 1/2	522	524 1/4	524 3/4	528 3/4
Wheat Sep Dec Mar May Jul	354	349 3/4	358 1/2	357 1/4	357 1/2
	366 3/4	361 3/4	370 3/4	371	370 1/4
	373 3/4	368 3/4	377 1/2	378 1/4	377 1/2
	361 1/2	359	366	365	365 1/2
	333	330 1/2	334 1/2	333 1/2	339 1/2
Corn Sep Dec Mar May Dec	209 1/2 217 1/4 226 231 1/4 235 1/4	209 1/2 217 225 1/2 230 3/4 234 3/4	211 1/2 219 227 1/2 232 1/2 236 1/4	212 1/4 220 1/4 228 1/2 233 3/4 237 1/4	212 3/4 221 1/2 229 3/4 234 3/4 240
KC Wheat Sep Dec Mar May Jul	349	344 1/2	353 1/4	352 1/2	353
	360 3/4	356	364 1/2	364 3/4	364 1/2
	366	362	369 3/4	370	370 1/2
	358	356	362	361	360
	335	335	338 3/4	339	342 1/2
SB Meal Aug Sep Oct Dec Jan	165.70 162.10 159.70 158.80 159.70	164.60 160.80 157.70 157.10 158.10	164.10 160.50 157.10 156.20 157.40	164.70 161.10 157.80 157.20 158.30	165.50 162.60 159.70 159.10 160.40

WEEKLY COMMODITY LIVE FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle .15 to 1.80 lower, Lean Hogs 1.10 to 4.80 higher, Pork Bellies .05 to 5.22 higher, except may .30 lower, Feeder Cattle Aug .67 higher, others .20 to .57 lower.

Daily Live Futures Closes

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri
Cattle Aug Sep Oct Dec Feb	78.77	78.00	77.97	76.87	77.42
	77.90	77.20	77.40	76.50	78.00
	77.55	76.55	76.82	76.10	77.30
	77.47	76.42	76.77	76.75	77.75
	77.42	76.45	76.92	76.95	77.80
Lean Hogs Aug Oct Dec Feb Apr	57.85	57.67	59.67	60.12	60.92
	51.80	52.32	53.57	53.55	54.57
	50.75	50.65	51.65	51.65	51.97
	54.60	54.50	55.35	55.12	55.42
	58.02	57.85	58.55	58.27	58.87
Prk Bel Aug Feb Mar May Jul	87.42 77.85 77.75 80.00 81.00	87.20 77.17 76.90 79.60 78.00	90.20 78.62 78.20 80.25 79.60	90.55 78.25 78.00 80.00 80.00	91.12 78.47 78.00 79.70 80.00
Fdr. Cat. Aug Sep Oct Nov Jan	90.92	90.82	91.47	91.35	91.47
	90.62	89.97	90.22	89.65	90.45
	90.65	89.97	90.25	89.75	90.20
	89.32	88.65	88.95	88.52	89.30
	87.05	86.62	86.42	86.20	86.95

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .02 to .06 higher Wheat .05 to .11 higher Corn .06 to .11 higher Grain Sorghum .15 to .28 higher

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soybean		#2 Corn	#2 Grain
		Wheat		Sorghum
Kansas City				
Monday	5.49-5.54	3.49	2.10-2.12	3.79
Tuesday	5.46-5.51	3.45	2.10-2.12	3.79
Wednesday	5.48-5.53	3.53	2.12-2.14	3.82
Thursday	5.49-5.52	3.49-3.53	2.12-2.14	3.84
Friday	5.54-5.59	3.49-3.53	2.13-2.15	3.88
St. Louis				
Monday	5.45-5.47	3.48-3.50	2.22	3.58
Tuesday	5.47-5.48	3.44-3.50	2.23-2.24	3.71
Wednesday	5.43-5.46	3.53-3.58	2.25-2.27	3.75
Thursday	5.47	3.56	2.28	3.76
Friday	5.44-5.52	3.50-3.52	2.26-2.29	3.80
<u>Central</u>				
Monday	5.34-5.45	3.32-3.35	2.05-2.10	3.26
Tuesday	5.31-5.42	3.28-3.31	2.05-2.10	3.26
Wednesday	5.33-5.44	3.37-3.40	2.07-2.12	3.30
Thursday	5.34-5.43	3.35-3.38	2.07-2.10	3.30
Friday	5.39-5.47	3.36-3.39	2.08-2.11	3.28
<u>S.E. Mo.</u>				
Monday	5.33-5.35	3.32-3.37	2.11-2.13	3.73
Tuesday	5.35-5.43	3.38-3.44	2.05-2.13	3.80-3.87
Wednesday	5.34-5.41	3.46-3.52	2.07-2.14	3.89-3.91
Thursday	5.35-5.41	3.44-3.51	2.07-2.10	3.91-3.92
Friday	5.41-5.45	3.43-3.51	2.10-2.15	4.00-4.10

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Missouri Weekly Crop Report

Dry weather continues to erode the potential for row crop yields in much of the State but considerable variation exists by area. Crop conditions show sizeable declines in the northwest, north-central, west-central and central districts as the drought expands beyond the northwestern and west-central counties. Crops in many eastern counties and particularly the southeast district have fared better with timely rains. The topsoil moisture supply was reported as 34 percent very short, 34 percent short and 31 percent adequate and 1 percent surplus, with the northwest and west-central districts showing ratings of 97 percent short or very short. Subsoil moisture is rated as 31 percent very short, 42 percent short and 27 percent adequate. An average of 5.9 days were suitable for fieldwork, varying from 2.8 days in the southeast district to about 6 or more days in the northern two-thirds of the State Ninety-three percent of the corn is silked, 57 percent has reached the dough stage and 21 percent is dented, similar to the progress of a year earlier and the 5-year average. Development ranges from 33 percent in the dough stage or beyond in the northeast district to 83 percent in the west-central and south-west districts and 98 percent in the southeast. Corn condition for the State as a whole declined to 12 percent very poor, 21 percent poor, 30 percent fair, 31 percent good and 6 percent excellent, still above a year ago for this date when 45 percent was rated poor or very poor. Corn in some fields of northern and western counties is considered hurt beyond recovery with only limited potential at this time. Farmers are already cutting the poorest fields for silage. Sixty-four percent of the soybeans have reached the blooming stage and 26 percent are setting pods. Development is 3 days behind last year and 6 days behind the average of 74 percent blooming and 37 percent podding. Condition of the crop is rated as 9 percent very poor, 16 percent poor, 37 percent fair, 34 percent good and 4 percent excellent, close to the rating of a week ago but with declining ratings in the driest areas and improved conditions where rain was received. Most soybeans in the dry areas could still show significant recovery if rain is received soon but moisture is critical for the current pod-filling phase. Fifty-seven percent of the sorghum is headed and 10 percent is turning color, about the same as last year but 4 days behind the 5-year average of 66 percent headed. Condition of the crop is rated as 4 percent very poor, 9 percent poor, 48 percent fair, 33 percent good and 6 percent excellent, as an improved outlook in the heavy sorghum- producing area of the southeast district approximately offset the decline in the driest areas. Forty-five percent of the third crop of alfalfa hay is cut, 2 days behind last year but ahead of normal. Some of the main alfalfa- growing region is expected to have little or no third cutting due to the moisture shortage.

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